

FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 13, 1896.

THE REPUBLICANS of Louisiana are now squabbling among themselves, ings to-day ordered favorably reported each of the Reed and McKinley factions, into which they are divided, charging the other with having received money with which to buy delegates to the national republican convention for their respective favorites. As money will buy not only the nomination but the election of the next heard nothing of any other appoint-President, why there should be any ment. particular fuss about the comparatively small amount already expended by the republicans on Louisiana delegates, is not apparent.

BISHOP HURST, of the M. E. Church, is dead opposed to bull, dog and chicken fights, and to glove and prize fights, but says if he had the power he would free the island of Cuba in five minutes. To do the latter would provoke a war with Spain, that would necessitat the death and wounding of thousands of human beings. The wisdom, it nothing else, of the man who would involve his country in a war for a cause in which it is not interested, but who frowns upon a trial of skill between two athletes, may well be doubted.

THE National New England Wonan's Association is now engaged in raising a fund with which to buy General Miles, the man who had President Davis, when old and sick in body and mind, and imprisoned in a casemate in a trebly guarded fort, with the eye of a sentry constantly upon him, ironed and chained to the floor, a costly residence in Washington. They do this to show their-loyalty.

IN THE U. S. Senate Mr. Morgan poses as a Jeffersonian democrat; and yet he favors subsidies to telegraph lines across the Pacific ocean, wants the government to go into the railroad business, and throws down the gauntlet of the United States and dares the whole human race to take it up. Paternalism, socialism and jingoism were not elements of old time democracy.

THE PRESIDENT was right on pensions, continues right on the currency question, and that he is right on the subject of women bicyclists is patent to most men who have proper regard and respect for the feminine sex. Many men like to look at women riding on bicycles, but few of them do when their wives, sisters and daughters are

CONGRESS has killed the anti-option bill, as it should have done, for the farmer has as much right to sell his crop in the ground as in the barn, though there is no doubt that selling unharvested crops is gambling, just as much as selling possible prizes in lotteries. But Congress passed the antilottery bill.

It is now rumored that both Mr. Speaker Reed and Governor McKinley are, if not members, friendly disposed toward the A. P. A's. If that be so, whether it will affect their respective chances of election or not is unknown. Most of the party that nominated Mr. Lincoln had previously been know nothings.

IF THE Baltimore democrats ever regain control of that city-which is doubiful-they should remember that discipline is as essentially necessary for the success of a party as for that of an army, and that those who deserted them in their hour of excremity will not hesitate to do so again.

A NEW YORK jingo newspaper says "there are worse things than war." None save personal dishonor. This has always been recognized, and is pat ently so in the litany of the Episcopal Church, where war is classed as the greatest of evils, as pestilence and famine follow in its wake.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] WASHINGTON, March 13.

The Senate committee on privileges and elections this morning directed a favorable report on the posed amendment to the constitution providing for the election of United States Senators by the popular vote of the

The Navy Department is advised from Beaufort, S. C, that the battle-ship Indiana, about the safety of which there was some doubt, was sighted this morning going up the bay to the Port Royal drydock.

Mr. Anderson of Richmond, secretary of the Virginia Good Roads Association, was at the Capitol to-day talking with the Virginia congressmen in favor of a bill for national aid to country roads.

Negro politicians from all over the South are now swarming in the Capitol, extolling their own personal influence in the States in which they live. and on the lookout for offers from the agents of the various republican Presi-

dential candidates.

Of the six delegates to the national democratic convention elected by the democratic convention of this city yes-terday evening, five are free silver men, though the convention endorsed the President, who is dead against free silver. All the six had been previously determined upon except one, Mr. Geo. Killeen, who said it would never do

for the delegation not to have one man who was born in Ireland.

certain, and that is that he doesn't want it thrust upon him.

The Venezuelan commission held its fi'th meeting to-day, did nothing, but was informed that the first batch of official evidence in the case had been shipped from La Guayra on the 10th and would probably reach Washington by next Tuesday. It is supposed that the one hundred thousand dollars appropriated for the commission will not b sufficient, and that another appro-priation will be asked for.

There will be no session of the Sen-

to-morrow. The House committee on public builda bill appropriating \$100,000 additional

for the public building at Norfolk, Va. Representative Cartis, of New York, Attaches of foreign who will deliver a lecture for the benehis of the University of Virginia in the chapel of that institution next Tuesday night, says he supposed that would the commencement of his proposed lecture tour, but that so far he has

One of the reasons assigned by Mr. Payne, republican, of New York, in the House to-day, for the passage of the bill prohibiting any but citizens of the United States from acting as engineers on American vessels, was that if the ships on which they are employed be pressed into the government's service in use of war, they might cripple them, of not citizens of the country, and the House passed the bill, evidently believing that the naturalization cath will nake every man loyal to his country. The Senate Distric' committee today sat down on the District Commissioners by reporting adversely on the bill to extend the streets of the city. They reported favorably the bill pro-

viding for dollar gas.

Representative Bouteile of Maine is for fighting the South all the time, is very mild mannered, as he ought o be, in the treatment of foreign nations, and is dead opposed to the jingoes. He is also opposed to any warke expenditures, and is against the bill

for six new ships.

The fact was developed in the Senate to-day that though the Spanish side of the Cuban question had been sent by the State Department to the committee on foreign relations before the Cuban resolution was reported, the members of the Senate had spoken and voted upon that resolution without having had that side presented to them.

The House committee on postoffices to-day ordered to be favorably reported a bill providing that no indemnity shall pe paid for loss of registered matter in excess of ten dollars. For smaller loss the actual value of the package is to be allowed; also one providing that be-ginning July 1, 1896, it shall be lawful to send at the postage rate of a cent piece written messages on private mailing cards.

The Senate committee on territories this norming ordered a favorable report on the bill to admit New Mexico as one of the States. The bill provides for a constitutional conven tion and all its other provisions are along the lines of the regular statehood bil .

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Tue residence and store of J. H. Hall, at Harrisville, Pa., was burned this morning and his aged mother pershed in the flames.

Seven thousand men and women. members of fourteen Chicago local unions of trailors, went out on strike this morning in sympathy with the clothing cutters and trimmers.

New Hampshire bank commissioners o day reported to Gov. Busiel their a correspondent of the Kansas City Sunday Sun, at Dallas, Texas, has re-

The question of the legality of the ection of municipal officers by the Baltimore city council as a result of the revolutionary act whereby Mayor Hooper was recently shorn of his power, will very soon be taken to court for settlement.

The case against Dr. Brown, pastor of First Congregational Church, at San Francisco, who is charged with mmoral conduct, closed last night. There is a prevailing opinion that the verdict will be nothing worse than un-

ministerial conduct. A train on the B. & O. Southwestern railroad was held up at Salem, Ill., yescerday by a man who boarded the passenger coach and began to search the passengers. The train stopped only a short time and only one man was robbed, the robber getting \$65 from him.

The losses by last night's fire in the Wayre County Savings Bank building at D-troit, Mich., will probably not ex-\$60,000. Detroit commandery No. 1. Knights Templar, who occupied the top floor, is the heaviest loser. The furniture and fittings were valued at \$25,000 and are practically a total loss. The three hundred and odd uniforms in the lockers are also more or less innred and the loss on them will be

about \$20,000. The residence of Valentine Mushbacker, at Bantam, O., burned this morning. An old man named Isler, and Teenie Mushbacker, aged 15, were burned to death Mrs. Mushbacker leaped to the ground receiving severe

The steamer Ohio, which has made a tour of the West Indies, with a party of excursionists, arrived at her dock in Philadelphia this

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate yesterday the latter part of the day was given to the Du-pont contest, Mr. Pritchard, of North Carolina, arguing in support of the claimant. A bill creating an art com-mission of five members was passed.

The House, after passing some bills of minor importance, entered upon the consideration of the Aldrich-Robbins contested election case from the fifth Alabama district, with the understanding that three and a half hours' debate should be had on each side. Considerable partisan rancor was thrown into the debate. Mr. Moody, of Massachusetts, and Mr. Linney, of North Carolina, both republicans, were especially bitter in their denunciation of democratic election methods in the South.

The Anglo-German loan of 100,000 .-000 taels for China has been issued at 94, with interest at 5 per cent. The contract stipulates that the customs administration is to remain unchanged.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Representative Walker, of Virginia, in talking to-day about the squabble in his party in his State, said one thing is seriously ill at Jeypore.

It is announced that a new dry-dock the chairmanship of the State commit- to accommodet the largest vessels will tee, and, what's more, will not have be constructed on the Erie basin, at the lower end of Brooklyn.

It is denied positively that the Venezuelan boundary question has been settled, although an honorable settlement is believed to be entirely probable in the end.

The steamer Alameda, which arrived at San Francisco yesterday, brought news of the safety of the missing steamer Rio de Janeiro, which re-cently put in at Honolulu for coal.

A hotel sneak this f stole jewelry, money, and other valuables, aggregatirg \$2,500, from the apartments of Congressian Grove Lawrence Johnson, of a visit. California, at the Hotel Cochran, Wash-

Attaches of foreign legations and officers in the service of foreign countries will not, as heretofore, be given the opportunity to inspect our fortifications or to witness the tests at the Indian Head proving ground.

The corporation counsel in New York yesterday announced that it had been determined to abandon the suits against the Gould estate for taxes on the ground that the defendants could establish the plea of non residence. Judge Pryor, of the Supreme Court, gave judgment vacating the assess

The Pope manufacturing company's andsome five story building in Boston was gutted by fire yesterday causing a loss of \$350,000. Nearly 2000 bicycles were burned. The Youth's Companion building and the Hoffman house were thoroughly drenched and badly dam aged. Several persons were taken from the burning building by means of lad-

President Cleveland and his guests who were duck shooting at Widewater, on the Potomac river, yesterday re-turned to Washington on the lighthouse tender Maple shortly after 10 o'clock last night, after a successful day's shooting. The President invited Col Waller the owner of the blinds. and his family to lunch with him on the teamer, but circumstances prevented their accepting the invitation.

FOREIGN NEWS.

General Baratieri, who has arrived at Massowah, admitted that he had yielded to a rash impulse in making the attack which led to the disastrous defeat of the Italian forces at Adowa.

Brazil has offered to buy the Italian cruiser Lombardia, which has been lying in Rio harbor for many weeks with yellow fever on board, over a hundred of the crew having died of the disease.

The whole of the republic of Honduras has been placed under martial law, pending the settlement of the civil revolt in Nicaragua, in which the president of Honduras has espoused the cause of the Zelaya government against the rebels.

General Weyler has issued a procla mation to soften the severity of the proclamations issued soon after his arrival in Cuba, and which will make submission easy for the insurgents captured in the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio, providing they promise before witnesses to be loyal to the Spanish cause.

Two hundred students of the University of Corunna, Spain, yesterday, engaged in a demonstra-tion against the United States and burned an American flag. At Alicante the mayor and police, while dispersing a mob, were pelted with stones. In the British House of Commons Mr. Broderick, of the War xamination of the affairs of the granite Office, in response to an inquiry, said that if any Eoglish officers volunteered enlistment act. Mr. Balfour declared that in the case of war between Spain turned a verdict of not guilty. Quarles and the United States he did not think had published a scurrillous story about the former country would resort to the Wallace and the latter stabbed him to use of privateers to destroy American commerce. Mr. Balfour explained that there had been an acceptance by all the powers that a neutral flag covered enemies' goods, except contraband of

FAIRFAX NOTES.

war.

Mr. Lewis Peverill has purchased from Dr. Wm. Gibson the latter's farm of 105 acres, about four miles southwest of this city, for \$3,600.

Mr. H. C. Cockrill and Miss Margaret E., daughter of Harrison Saunders, all of Fairfax were married at Kenmore on the 10th by Rev. S. V. Hildebrand.

Mr. Thomas Kidwell, a former resident of Fairfax, who died Sunday last in Alexandria of pneumonia, was buried at Fairfax Courthouse on Tues-

A lodge of the Junior Order of Me chanics will be organized at Odd Fellows' Hall Monday night. Twenty-five of the young men of the town will join as charter members.

The Hortman tract of land in Fairfex ounty, near Annandale, has been sold who will at once improve it and estab lish his summer home there.

A call has been issued to the republicans of Fairfax county for a mass con The damage to the building is vention to be held at Fairfax Court-house, March 30, to elect delegates to the district and State conventions. A. J. Wheaton, the young man

charged with entering Mr. Thornton's house, had another hearing before Jusice Taylor and Mayor Hawxhurst at Fairfax Courthouse on Monday. He was sent on to the grand jury, which meets next Monday.

At the last meeting of Falls Church Lodge of Odd Fellows Mr. George W. Hawxburst, past grand, was elected to represent the lodge in the grand lodge of the State, which meets in Charlottes ville April 14. Past Grand W. M. Elison was elected alternate.

Mr. Fenton Dove died Monday. He had been suffering for some time from an injured leg, and last week was taken to Washington, where it was amputated. As a result blood poisoning set in. Mr. Dove was an old Confederate soldier, and was one of the very few pensioned by the State of Virginia.

As anticipated in the GAZETTE Mr. R. W. Moore to day published a card in the Herald withdrawing as a candidate for Congress, for reasons relating to his private business and Miss Margaret Hunter, daughter of the late

Col. G. W. Hunter, died near Grange Camp on Thursday, aged S2 years. Mrs. Lydia J. Piggott died last Sunday night near Vienna. Her sister died last week A forest fire burned over nearly 1000 acres of land near Grange Camp last Saturday. The County Court, a grand jury term, m on Monday.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

SENATE. Immediately after the reading of the

an incidental statement made yesterday

the Senator from Ohio was, Mr. Lodge

said, an uninternational error. He had

had no communication with Mr. Olney

and received from him no private papers. The paper referred to was a full statement from the Spanish minis-

ter, giving the Spanish side of the

and was read to the full committee

reading of those papers, Mr. Lodge

said, had been confidential, and had

Ohio simply by inadvertence.

Mr. Sherman now recalled the fact

had come from the State Department,

at the request of the committee, and

Mr. Hoar commented upon these

disclosures as presenting a remarkable

condition of affairs; and asked whether

the papers referred to ought not be laid

"Certainly, in executive session,"

"All right," said Mr. Hoar, "let the

Senator from Ohio move an executive

Mr. Wolcott suggested that the Sen-

executive session. Then the resolution had to go to the House, where there was no executive session and where the

facts could never be known. The mem-

bers of that body were absolutely with-

out knowledge of a single one of

the facts which the committee on

vote for or against belligerency.

He would be glad to have explained to

him whether or not Senators were ex-pected to yield their own judgment

ion (intelligently formed, no doubt) of

Mr. Hale called for the regular order

Mr. Hawley expressed a hope that

lations in which all Senators could join

with satisfaction, and he said that he

would at the proper time move to insist

upon the Senate's disagreement to the

House substitute for the Cuban resolu-

The House bill providing for a tem-porary increase of the revenue was

taken up in order to give Mr Cockrell

an opportunity to address the Senate in

favor of free silver, which he did at

HOUSE.

Mr. Payne called up and the House

The House then resumed considera-

ONE HUNDRED YEARS OLD.

Mrs. Lydia Price Peyton (nee Sny-

the committee on foreign relations

and conscience, and to follow

on which it would have to

considered,

from Maine.

before the Senate.

said Mr. Sherman.

session.

by one of its members, Mr. Frye.

WASHINGTON, March 13.

Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, of Baltimore, has been elected a member of the Jefferson Davis monument board in Richmond

Miss Helen Mark, eldest daughter of Mrs. I. Mark, and Mrs. Susan Holmes, by Mr. Sherman as to a communication widow of Mr. Marshall Holmes, died at which he (Mr. Lodge) was supposed to Catletts recently.

In the democratic primary at Char-lottesville yesterday J. Samuel McCune defeated John S. Patton, the present in-ing affairs in Cuba. The statement of cumbent, for Mayor. Professor Stone, of the McCormick

Observatory, University of Virginia, ridicules the prediction of the Perrine comet striking the earth Saturday. Miss Gettie McGuire, of Winchester, sister of Dr. Hunter McGuire, died suddenly, yesterday, at her brother's resi-dence in Richmond, where she was on

The new board of visitors of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute recently appointed by the Governor will meet at the institution Monday. It is hardly probably that the board will go into the election of officers at this meeting.

Mr. J. A. Fling, of Loudoun county and Miss Edith Green, of Montgomery county, Md., were married at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening in the parlors of the Metropolitan Hotel, in Washington. Rev. Dr. Sunderland officiated and Mr. J. M. Shryock, of this city, acted as best man.

Deserted by her husband, with large family to support, but little work to be obtained and still less money. Mrs. Hughes, who lives over Bowers grocery, in Roanoke, at a late hour Wednesday night swallowed an ounce of laudanum in hopes of ending her troubles. Her condition was discovered and a physician sent for, who, by persistent work with antidotes, man aged to bring her to life. She was pro-vided for by the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society.

LETTER FROM PRINCE WILLIAM. [Correspondence Alexandria Gazette.]

WATERFALL, Va., March 11.

Well, the long agony is over, the Maupin bill is passed and the advocates of that doubtful measure are, I presume, patting each other on the back and congratulating themselves that they have taken one step nearer heav-Instead of doing so, however, it is foreign relations had my opinion that they are big with false conceptions which time will prove to be as complete a fiasco as that of the famed mountain when similarly circumstanced. I have heard somewhere that scientists proclaim that an owl's filth is the most worthless substance upon the face of this sublunary sphere, and yet I would not give an based upon information which could infinitesimal pinch of it for a man whose not be divulged. pulse did not quicken whilst gazing on pretty woman or a handsome horse, of business. though doubtless there are some Godforsaken specimens of humanity who are unable to appreciate either the one there might be some declaration prepared by the committee on foreign or the other. Virginia has always been regarded as the home of the race horse, and my earliest recollections are ssociated with them. My father told Col. Richard Tyler, of Prince William the mare Stella, from which he raised tion and ask for a further conference. Sarah, and from whose progeny (the Æ)-lus family) Mr. Hancock, of Albemarle, has realized between seventy and eighty thousand dollars. The raising of blood ed horses has been a source of great profit to the Virginia farmers, and why our Solons should imperil that busines by passing any law of doubtful benefit I cannot image. Old Æsop never ex-emplifies his knowledge of human passed the bill to require engineers and assistant engineers on steamers sailing nature more fully than when he wrote under American registers to be citizens the fable of the dog in the manger, and of the United States.

The House also passed the tonnage it is this pernicious principle of envy, which the bountiful giver of all good tax bill, intended to repeal the recipro-cal provisions of the law of 1884, which has implanted in the human breas which is responsible for many things are now employed only by the vessels of Germany and the Netherlands, and that appear on the surface and not traced to their true origin. to reduce the tax on vessels engaged in Lincoln was doubtless actuated by the hester. They find a deficit of \$261,918
The jury in the case of Frank Wallace, who a year ago killed Joe Quarles, be liable to the penalties of the foreign while with the vast majority of his the coast trade between the United States and the West Indies and South followers the ruling course was that tion of the contested election case of enumerated above. Why did the Aldrich vs. Robbins from the Fourth District of Alabama. Mr. Dinsmore Creator so constitute man that a majority of the race should derive pleasure was first recognized to make the closing from seeing horses run and laying argument in behalf of the contestee, wagers thereon to increase the interest in the result if there was such a crying sin in so doing? I take pleasure in Mr. Robbins. seeing horses run and in betting on the result, and my brother does not. Is that any reason for his going to work der) of Orange, to-day celebrated her to destroy my pleasure? Surely the 100th birthday, having been born world is large enough for all of the March 13, 1796, in Madison county, human race to enjoy themselves without getting in the way of or interferring with each other. There are some things that are perfectly harmless and inoffensive unless meddled with or stirred, and if people will not let them alone, they have only themselves to blame if they are inconvenienced thereby. Those any Territory of the United States, and then voted for precipitating the country into a bloody war, wherein count-

near the old Lutheran Church, which is located three miles northeast of Madison Courthouse. Her parents-Michael and Martha (Stigler) Snyder-were among the early settlers of Madison county. In her 18th year the subject of this sketch was married to Mr. John Peyton, of Orange county, and the members of Congress who voted for a law prohibiting athletes from contend-ing in trials of skill and endurance in couple resided for two years at Spotswood & Taliaferro's mill-now land's-Rapidan Station. In 1816 they moved to Dade's mill-now Peyton's Ford-about three miles from the town of Orange, on the Rapidan river, where

less thousands would undoubtedly have

lost their lives, strained at a gnat and

swallowed a camel. They were doubt-

through, with the exception of Edwin

Forrest, who was beanen by George

Killeen by three votes. The delegates

to Chicago are Robert E. Mattingly,

Frank P. Morgan, John Boyle, Wm. Holmead, George Killeen and E. L.

This platform endorsed the adminis-

tration of Grover Cleveland, particular-ly the stand taken on the Venezuelan

question, and expressed sympathy for

the Cuban insurgents.

The plank contained in the demo-

cratic national platform of 1856, and di-

rected against the know-nothing party

of that day, was put in the resolutions. This declared that a political crusade

in the nineteenth century against Cath-

olic and foreign-born citizens, is con-

trary to the genius of our institutions,

and cannot be too severely condemned.

tion was received with mingled cheers

and hisses, and evoked a hot anti-

Cleveland speech from ex-Congress-

man Turner, who has been practicing

law in Washington since his retirement

from active participation in Tammany

Martial law has been declared in

Honduras because the approach to its

borders of the warring factions in Nica-

ragua threatens to breed disorder.

The endorsement of the administra-

diculus mus. Yours truly,

less pregnant with false conceptions She was the mother of twelve chiland the verdict of posterity will doubtdren-six sons and six daughters-all less be parturiunt montes nascetur riof whom reached maturity, and of which number eight are now living, as follows: William S., her oldest child, who celebrated his 79th birthday on WASHINGTON DEMOCRATS. The District of Columbia democracy December 4, 1895, and who has been held its convention yesterday to choose delegates to the national convention at the railroad agent at Rapidan Station for forty-three years; John S., residing Chicago. A "combine" slate was fixed up, embracing delegates from the sevin Pittsylvania county; Ann D. and Mary Jane, who live with their mother; eral sections of the city, and despite many vigorous efforts to break it went Mrs. G. P. Robinson and Captain T. J.

never remarried.

Mrs. Peyton has ever since resided.

Her husband died in 1862, and she has

Chauncey, this city.

Her grandchildren and great grandchildren now living number nearly one hundred. She has never eaten but two meals a day, always abstaining from is still quite active, has several teeth, and her eyesight is quite good, though her hearing is somewhat im-paired. She is a member of the Presby-

Peyton, Orange Courthouse; Mrs. J. A.

Wilkins, Orange county, and Mrs. John

terian Church. Some of Mrs. Peyton's relatives in this city, including her grandchildren, Misses Dollie Peyton and Annie Luckett, were present to day at the anniversary celebration.

The house of John Johnson, of West Charleston, W. Va., burned this morn-When the fire was discovered Eunice Johnson was seen lying on the hall floor, evidently living. A hook was thrown over her and she was dragged to the front door, when the rope burned and it was impossible to rescue her. Miss Johnson was the only person in the house at the time. She was subject to fits and had once before fallen

Baron Plumgarten, minister of Austria Hungary at Washington, arrived at New York to-day. TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The Kentucky Legislature. FRANKFORT, Ky., March 13.—There was considerable excitement here this morning. Wood Dunlap, who was dejournal, Mr. Lodge called attention to clared entitled to Kaufman's seat, arrived from Lexington and it was said | bacco Company. he would qualify. One report had it that he had already taken the oath. have had with the Secretary of There was also considerable talk of an extra session being called as soon as

the legislature adjourned Tuesday. Owing to complains about the pres-ence of the Capitol policemen from Lexington, Sheriff Armstrong decided after a consultation with the governor to summon a posse to preserve the peace and allow the police to be withdrawn. It is said that the posse will be com-posed of members of a local military company.

At 11:15 o'clock the sheriff arrived

question, and which was sent to the committee from the State Department, at the Capitol with eight deputies.

The rotunda was cleared at 11:20 o'clock. Expelled Senators Walton and James were in the House.

been mentioned by the Senator from When the sheriff and his deputies, acting on the governor's orders, went to clear the Senate cloak room they that the paper to which he had referred found Senator Blackburn there with a crowd. The sheriff told the Senator he could not stay, but the latter replied that the sheriff had no authority over had been fully read by the Senator

him or any one else.

Sanator Bronston, hearing of the incident, offered a resolution that the sheriff and his deputies be excluded from the Senate chamber. The mayor also ordered the sheriff out. The sheriff was then summoned before the Senate. Mr. Bronston's speech in support of his motion was a bitter denunciation of the governor. The sheriff then leit the chamber, saying he would go out

and get written authority from the ate found itself in an unusual dilemma. governor, who alone was his superior as an executive officer. While he was If it were essential (he did not think it was) that Congress should act on the gone the Bronston measure was referquestion of Cuban belligerency, the Senate was confronted with the posired to the committee on rules. The Senators then left the chamber for the House to take part in the joint session which was soon called to order by the licutement tion of having to vote on questions of fact, on testimony reposing in the breasts of the members of the commitgovernor. Duniap had not appeared to qualify and Walton and James occupied seats tee on foreign relations alone-testiquality and watch and James occupied season on the republican side. The roll call showed 129. The republicans did not vote during the beginning of the roll call and it was plain that Dunlap had declined to qualify. While the roll call was in progress the sheriff remony which they could not divulge to the public, and could divulge only in

turned with a written request from the gov-ernor that he, the sheriff, use his influence as a peace officer to preserve the peace. He and his deputies remained in the rotunda. The als ceputies remained in the rotunda. The ballot re-ulted: Blackburn, 50; Carlisle, 13; Buckner, 1. No republicans voted. The joint session then adjourned. When the Sorge. When the Segate resumed business the

governor's note to the sheriff was read, after which Mr. Bronston withdrew the remarks he had made about the executive.

Foreign News.

VIENNA, March 13 .- The Neue Freie Presse says that the entire Italian gar- Company against the Board of Super rison at Verona have deserted with their arms and baggage and crossed the Austrian border into Tyrol. Hundreds of Italian deserters are crossing trict school purposes. The court de

the tendency of the debate as a good symptom. Most of the journals point out that the final resolution of the Senate hangs over Spain like the sword of Damocles, and the country must not lose one minute in its war preparations in case the belligerency of the insurgents should be recognized.

LONDON, March 13 .- A dispatch from Constantinople states that the agitation in Crete is increasing. At Trabacos several Turks were alleged to have been murdered and forty Cretans were arrested for the crime and acquitted,

but are still in jail.

PEKIN, March 13.—The reported conclusion of a treaty between Russia of Law and Equity for the city of Rich

Menelek to the end of concluding Court for the city of Lynchburg. Ap-Menelek to the end of concluding peace between Italy and Abyssinia is confirmed upon official authority. It is learned that Generals Albertone and General Albertone and Generals Albertone and Nava and many other Italian officers and supersedeas to a judgment who were believed to have been killed and Equity Court city of Norfolk. in the battle at Adowa on March 1st \$3,000.

Cambridge University advising them to imitate the example of Harvard Universawarded. Bond \$100 sity and found a woman's university, which may confer degrees upon wo-

ROME, Mar. 13 .- Major Salsa, who went into the camp of the Abyssinian army for the purpose of asking the permission of King Menelek to bury the bodies of the Italian soldiers who were killed in the battle of Adowa and also for the purpose of making inquiries concerning the Italian prisoners, has announced that he has entered into negotiations with King Menelek for the conclusion of peace.

Methodist Conference. BALTIMORE, Md., March 13 .- Two of the most important subjects to be considered by the Baltimore conference of the M. E. Church to-day were on the programme as special orders. the Bacon resolutions which, if embodied in the law of the church, would enlarge the powers of the conference and restrict the authority of the bishop; second, the election of delegates to the general conference which meets in Cleveland, O., in May. In addition to these attractive features of the conference session, the lay convention, which meets every four years, gathered to-gether in the lecture room of the church. ity of New Jersey, will soon have to Rev. G. C. Bacon made a speech in favor of his resolutions.

The International Chess Match. New YORK, March 13.—Play in the chess match by telegraphic cable between Great Britain and the United States-a team contest on eight boards -began this morning. The American team is located in Assembly Hall, Brooklyn, while the Britishers have taken up their headquarters in the supper, and has never worn a corset. Cannon Street Hotel, London. The players are divided by a distance of

> Shocking Tragedy. ABERDEEN, S. D., March 13.—Jacob the most powerful ever put Marty, a resident of McPherson country, and the service, and was one of ty, last night dragged his sick wife out of of the exhibit of the light bed and cut her throat, nearly severing her head from the body. He then cut his own throat, both lying immediately. They leave eleven children. Marty was suffering from despondency caused, it is thought, by extreme poverty.

Italians Again Defeated. ROME, March 13 .- The government has received information from Africa that the Dervishes in strong force have attacked Sabdevati, between Kassala and Agordat, and that the Italian garrison being greatly outnumbered have retreated to the hills. The losses of either side are unknown.

Six men were seriously injured by a collssion on the Vandalia railroad near Brazil, Ind., this morning, COURT OF APPEALS.

A very important decision was redered in the Court of Appeals yesterday in the case of the Richmond and Alleghany Railroad Company and others against the R. A. Patterson To

On August 1, 1888, the Patterson company delivered to the receiverthe Richmond and Alleghany road lot of of tobacco consigned to Mann Levy at Bayou Sara, La. The bil lading was in its usual form and stor lated that if the destination was youd the point for which rates were named in the margin the packagemight be delivered to any other carrie to be transported to the ultimate poin and the carrier so selected show regarded exclusively as the ment of the owner or consigner. It w mutually agreed that the hall each carrier as to the goods debeyond its own route should be term nated by proper delivery of sent the next succeeding carrier.

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possession of the Richmond and All ghany road, and the sole question mitted to the court for its decision w whether section 1295 of the code wa conflict with article 1, section 8, el 3, of the constitution of United State it being agreed that if said section w constitutional the Richmond and A ghany Company was responsible the loss of the tobacco. By its the Circuit Court of Richmond hel that the section of the code was not conflict with the constitution of United States and the prayer of the potitioner was granted and a decree w rendered in favor of the petitioner for the sum of \$299.71, and the railroad company appealed. The section of the code referred to

provides that when a common carrie accepts any article for transportant to a point beyond the terminas of its to assume obligation for its riage to its destination unle time of acceptance the carrier be released from such liability by con in writing, signed by the owner of agent, and although there may be st contract in writing, if the thing shipped be lost of injured the carrier shall self be liable therefor, unless, within a reasonable time after demand be n he shall give satisfactory proof to a consiguor that the loss or injury not occur while the thing was in h charge. Judge Keith, in a very ab opinion, decided that the section the code referred to was constitution and the decree was affirmed.

Judge Cardwell handed down the opinion in the case of the New York Philadelphia and visors of Northampton county. The question involved was the power of the supervisors to tax the company for dis the border daily.

Madrid, March 13.—The tone of the articles in the Spanish press discussing yesterday's proceedings of the U. S. Senate indicate that the Spanish regard court was reversed and the injunction was perpetuated. Anticipating the verdict of the court the Legislature its recent session passed an act to cor rect the defects in the law existing when the levy in Northampton was

Lemmon vs. Herbert, trustee. From the Circuit Court of Fairfax. Athrmed. Opinion by Judge Riely. Williams vs. Watkins. From the

Circuit Court of Charlotte county. A firmed. Opinion by Judge Harrison Richmond Union Passenger Railway Company vs. New York and Sea Bea

and China is confirmed.

ROME, March 13.—The report that the Italians are negotiating with King Miller and others. From the Cheat

are not dead.

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Importing and Exporting Company
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Michie and als vs. Cochran and als Circuit Court of Albemarle, Appeal awarded. Bond \$500. Early & Clark vs. Commonwealth

Writ of error and supersedeas to the Hustings Court city of Roanoke. Hambrick and als, vs. Showalter als. Circuit Court of Floyd

Appeal and supersedeas. Bond Foard vs. Gamble. Circui city of Roanoke. Writ of error refi O'Hagan vs Commonwealth of error refused to the Hustings Court for the city of Richmond.

Wilson and als. vs. Wilson. Circul Court of Augusta. Appeal and super sedeas. Bond \$5,000 Brock vs. Commonwealth From Princess Anne county. Writ of error

refused. Boughton vs. Mountain Lake Land Company. Upon a motion of the spellees to remove the above entitled cause to Richmond. Motion grant and an order will be entered remo and placing it upon the pr docket to be heard at the pre-

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